

## Message Text

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ACTION EA-09

INFO OCT-01 EUR-12 NEA-10 ISO-00 CIAE-00 PM-04 H-02 INR-07

L-03 NSAE-00 NSC-05 PA-01 PRS-01 SP-02 SS-15 USIA-06

IO-11 SAM-01 AF-06 OPIC-03 DHA-02 EAE-00 /101 W

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P 121150Z JAN 76

FM AMEMBASSY LISBON

TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 5604

INFO RUKOBTXAMEMBASSY JAKARTA PRIORITY 0083

USMISSION USUN PRIORITY

AMEMBASSY BELGRADE

AMEMBASSY BONN

AMEMBASSY CANBERRA

AMEMBASSY LONDON

AMEMBASSY NEW DELHI

AMEMBASSY PARIS

AMCONSUL SURABAYA

AMEMBASSY THE HAGUE

AMEMBASSY TOKYO

DIA WASHDC

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: MILI, PT, ID, PO

SUBJ: PORTUGUESE MILITARY DETAINEES ON TIMOR

REF: (A) JAKARTA 0234 (DTG 080205Z JAN 76), (B) LISBON 0156

(DTG 091311Z JAN 76), (C) 75 LISBON 7427 (DTG 151153Z

DEC 75), (D) 75 STATE 300208 (DTG 201903Z DEC 75)(NOTAL)

1. DCM INFORMED FONMIN SYG (ANDRESEN) ON JAN 9 OF ACTIONS  
TAKEN BY US IN RESPONSE TO THEIR REQUEST FOR ASSISTANCE IN  
SECURING RELEASE OF PORTUGUESE MILITARY STILL DETAINED ON  
TIMOR. ALSO TOLD HIM OF RESULTS OF DEMARCHES MADE BY THIRD  
COUNTRIES TO INDONESIAN GOVERNMENT (PARA 1, REF A).

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2. IN REPORTING VISIT OF UN SYG'S SPECIAL REPRESENTATIVE  
GUICCIARDI TO LISBON, LOCAL PRESS AND RADIO HAVE GIVEN  
PROMINENCE TO GOP'S REQUEST THAT HE USE HIS GOOD OFFICES  
TO RESOLVE DETAINEE PROBLEM (REF B).  
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